



Docket No.: 163-381

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT OPERATIONS

In re Application of:)
VISMARA, Mario, et. Al.) Group Art Unit: 3629
Serial No.: 10/081,752) Examiner: COLETTA, Lori L.
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For: PROTECTIVE STRUCTURE FOR VEHICLES

New York, NY 10036
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir or Madam:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action that was mailed August 20, 2002. Kindly amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATIONS

Kindly amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, line 1, insert:

a1 -- TITLE OF THE INVENTION --

Page 1, beginning on line 2, insert:

a2 -- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION
FIELD OF THE INVENTION --

Page 1, line 5, insert:

a3 -- DESCRIPTION OF THE RELATED ART --